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SUMMIT

REF: EC BRUSSELS 2251
1.IN A STATEMENT RELEASED TO THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT ON
MARCH 10,EC COMMISSION PRESIDENT ROY JENKINS FORMALLY PUT
ON RECORD THE COMMISSION'S VIEW THAT HE SHOULD TAKE PART IN
THE MAY 7-8 WESTERN SUMMIT.THE TEXT OF HIS STATEMENT FOLLOWS:
QUOTE: THE VIEW OF THE COMMISSION IS THAT THE
COMMUNITY AS SUCH SHOULD BE PRESENT AT THE ECONOMIC
SUMMIT AND THAT IT SHOULD BE THERE REPRESENTED BY THE
PRESIDENT IN OFFICE OF THE COUNCIL AND THE PRESIDENT OF
THE COMMISSION.THIS VIEW IS FORTIFIED BY THE FACT THAT
ANY LIKELY AGENDA WILL COVER MATTERS WITH A CLEAR COMMUNITY
COMPETENCE,SUCH AS THE NORTH SOUTH DIALOGUE,THE MULTI-
LATERAL TRADE NEGOTIATIONS AND ENERGY,AS WELL AS GENERAL
ECONOMIC AND MONETARY PERSPECTIVES.THE COMMISSON
WOULD WISH TO SEE THAT IN SEEKING SOLUTIONS TO THSE
PROBLEMS,THE NEEDS AND VIEWS OF THE COMMUNITY AS A
WHOLE ARE TAKEN FULLY INTO ACCOUNT.END QUOTE.
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2.JENKINS' POSITION RECIVED THE SUPPORT OF A
NUMBER OF PARLIAMENTARIANS FROM THE SMALLER EC STATES,LED BY
DUTCH SOCIALIST SCHELTO PATIJN,WHO PLEDGED EFFORTS TO AGITATE IN
THEIR
NATIONAL PARLIAMENTS ON THE ISSUE OF FORMAL EC REPRESENTATION
AT THE SUMMIT AND SAID THE PROS AND CONS OF SUCH REPRESENTATION

SHOULD BE DISCUSSED AT THE MARCH 25-26 MEETING OF THE
EUROPEAN COUNCIL IN ROME.
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